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**Title:** POWER TRANSMISSION MECHANISM OF FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE VEHICLE

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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- 12.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
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